IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

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For: LOW-NOISE BLOCK CONTROLLERS
WITHIN A SET-TOP BOX

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The present Amendment is submitted in reply to the Examiner's Office Action dated May 21, 2007, having a shortened statutory period set to expire on August 21, 2007.